8 work upon the surface of a highway but shall apply to such persons and vehicles when traveling to or from such work.

Approved February 9, 1973.

CHAPTER 215

MOTOR VEHICLE INSPECTION FEES

S. F. 602

AN ACT relating to the administration of the motor vehicle inspection fees.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. Section three hundred twenty-one point two hundred thirty-eight (321.238), subsection nine (9), Code 1973, is amended to read as follows:
- 9. All fees collected by the department under the provisions of this section shall be remitted monthly to the treasurer of state. The moneys remitted shall be placed by the treasurer of state in a special fund to be known as the "motor vehicle inspection fund" and shall be used to defray the cost of administering the provisions of this section.
- 9 Any unencumbered balance in excess of twenty thousand dollars remaining in the motor vehicle inspection fund at the end of each fiscal
- 11 year shall revert to the general fund of the state on the thirtieth day of September following the end of the fiscal year.
- 1 SEC. 2. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take 2 effect and be in force from and after its publication in The Lyon
- 3 County Reporter, a newspaper published in Rock Rapids, Iowa, and

in The Sac Sun, a newspaper published in Sac City, Iowa.

Approved June 29, 1973.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, Senate File 602, was published in The Lyon County Reporter, Rock Rapids, Iowa, July 4, 1973, and in The Sac Sun, Sac City, Iowa, July 11, 1973.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 216

DRIVING ON RIGHT-HAND SIDE

H. F. 19

AN ACT providing exceptions to driving on the right side of a roadway.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 Section 1. Section three hundred twenty-one point two hundred 2 ninety-seven (321.297), Code 1973, is amended by striking the section

3 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

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- 321.297 Driving on right-hand side of roadway—exceptions.
- 5 1. A vehicle shall be driven upon the right half of the roadway upon 6 all roadways of sufficient width, except as follows:

a. When overtaking and passing another vehicle proceeding in the 8 same direction under the rules governing such movement.

b. When an obstruction exists making it necessary to drive to the left of the center of the roadway, provided, any person so doing shall yield the right-of-way to all vehicles traveling in the proper direction upon the unobstructed portion of the roadway within such distance as to constitute an immediate hazard.

c. Upon a roadway divided into three marked lanes for traffic under the rules applicable thereon.

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d. Upon a roadway restricted to one-way traffic.

2. Any vehicle proceeding at less than the normal speed of traffic at the time and place and under the conditions then existing shall be driven in the right-hand lane then available for traffic upon all roadways, or as close as practicable to the right-hand curb or edge of the roadway, except when overtaking and passing another vehicle proceeding in the same direction or when preparing for a left turn at an intersection, an alley, private road or driveway.

3. A vehicle shall not be driven upon any roadway having four or

more lanes for moving traffic and providing for two-way movement of traffic, to the left of the center line of the roadway, except when authorized by official traffic-control devices designating certain lanes to the left side of the center of the roadway for use by traffic not otherwise permitted to use such lanes, or except as permitted under subsection one (1), paragraph b of this section. This subsection shall not be construed as prohibiting the crossing of the center line in making a left turn into or from an alley, private road, or driveway.

Section three hundred twenty-one point two hundred ninety-eight (321.298), Code 1973, is amended by striking the section and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

321.298 Meeting and turning to right. Except as otherwise provided in section three hundred twenty-one point two hundred ninetyseven (321.297) of the Code, vehicles or persons on horseback meeting each other on any roadway shall yield one-half of the roadway by turning to the right.

Approved February 23, 1973.

CHAPTER 217

LEFT-TURNING VEHICLES

H. F. 18

AN ACT relating to duties of operators of vehicles turning left.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Section three hundred twenty-one point three hundred twenty (321.320), Code 1973, is amended to read as follows:

2 321.320 Vehicles turning left at intersection. The driver of a vehicle within an intersection intending to turn to the left within an intersection or into an alley, private road, or driveway shall yield the right of way to all vehicles approaching from the opposite direction which are within the intersection or so close thereto as to constitute